TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

FISCAL NOTE



SB 11 - HB 148

March 15, 2015

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes three- or four-wheeled all-terrain vehicles to be legally operated on a portion of State Route 63 in Scott County.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Decrease State Revenue - \$600

Decrease Local Revenue - Not Significant

Assumptions:

- The Department of Safety (DOS) confirms the Tennessee Highway Patrol (THP) periodically conducts traffic sweeps for three- or four-wheeled all-terrain vehicles on this stretch of State Route 63 in Scott County.
- DOS reports that THP fines created a total of \$584 in state revenue during the 2014 calendar year. This number is assumed to remain constant under current law. Therefore, a recurring decrease in state revenue of \$584.
- Local government receives five percent of all fine revenue as commission. The recurring decrease in local revenue is estimated to be \$31 [(\$584 / 95.0%) x 5.0%]. This reduction in local revenue is characterized as not significant for the purpose of this fiscal note.
- The County Technical Assistance Service and the Tennessee Sherriff's Association both report the bill's impact to local government is not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Jeffrey L. Spalding, Executive Director

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